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ARTIFICIAL LIPID BILAYER **MEMBRANE** LIPID SUBSTITUTION METHOD, ARTIFICIAL LIPID BILAYER MEMBRANE OBTAINED SUBSTITUTION METHOD, USING LIPID ARTIFICIAL LIPID BILAYER MEMBRANE FORMATION DEVICE, AND ION PERMEATION

June 9, 2006

MEASURING DEVICE (as amended)

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

The following preliminary amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application. Prior to examination of the present application, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Title begin on page 2 of this Preliminary Amendment.

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 3 of this Preliminary Amendment.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 4 of this Preliminary Amendment.

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Total	12	-	20	=	0
Independent	3	-	3	=	0

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IN THE TITLE

Please ensure the title reads as follows:

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"ARTIFICIAL LIPID BILAYER MEMBRANE LIPID SUBSTITUTION METHOD,
ARTIFICIAL LIPID BILAYER MEMBRANE OBTAINED BY USING LIPID
SUBSTITUTION METHOD, ARTIFICIAL LIPID BILAYER MEMBRANE
FORMATION DEVICE, AND ION PERMEATION MEASURING DEVICE."